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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Anderson *et al.*

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Examiner: Kubelik, Anne R.

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For: PLANT-DRIVEN MOLECULES AND GENETIC SEQUENCES ENCODING
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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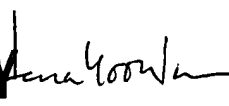
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